

CUMMINS' PREDICTION

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Washington, May 6.—Predicting that a failure to pass a tariff bill providing lower duties on imports would provoke a political contest for another revision of the tariff, Senator Cummings of Iowa

delivered a notable speech in the senate today. "The bill now before us," said Mr. Cummins, "will not be accepted by those who have favored a revision of the tariff as either a fulfillment of the party pledge or as a settlement of the controversy. If this bill or anything substantially like it becomes a law, I predict that a campaign for lower duties will begin the moment the extraordinary session of Congress adjourns."

and will continue with increasing zeal until the judgment entered in the court of public conscience is also entered in the journals of Congress.

"It gives me no pleasure to utter this prophecy, for I have earnestly hoped the revision now in progress would end the dispute for years to come, and that the business of the country would enjoy the peace and tranquility which is impossible during the existence of a movement of this nature."

"I have heard it said over and over since we began this discussion, not of course in public debate, but in private conversation, that there are but few people comparatively who were interested in a reduction of duties. I know that the voices of those who are clamoring for an increase of custom house duties are the loudest."

taxation are more distinctly heard in the corridors and committee rooms, but there will come a time presently when the clamor of the millions who want relief will sound like the roar of a thousand Niagaras from one ocean to the other."

LAST ADMINISTRATION.

"The last administration will be remembered, so long as the history of our country is preserved, for its victories in the struggle for rate regulation and for corporate fair dealing.

"The work has just begun and I sincerely hope the present administration will be no less distinguished than the last one for its energy in dealing

With these perplexing problems before him, however, Mr. Taft was not deterred. He was signed by common consent to this administration, and its conspicuous leader assumed without hesitation the duties of the office. He knew that the people know what they wanted with respect to revision just as well as they knew what they wanted with respect to the tariff, and that the combinations; and their intelligent, educated, patriotic instinct is just as certain with respect to the tariff as it was with respect to the suspension of monopolies. If we fall now substantially to reduce the duties upon the important schedules, we are obstructing the progress of the people, a justice which, thanks to the genius of our institutions, they have the power to enforce, and which the fullness of our resources will enforce.

Passing to the consideration of lumber schedules he said it made little

difference whether there was a duty or not so far as the preservation of forests are concerned. With respect to the cost of production, in the greater part of the United States at least, he said the American had the advantage of the Canadian and a duty was only necessary to equalize a disparity in rates of transportation.

FRED D. WARREN CONVICTED.
Fort Scott, Kan., May 6.—Fred D. Warren, business manager of the Appeal to Reason, a Socialist publication, charged by the government with sending scurrilous and defamatory matter through the mails, was this afternoon found guilty by a jury in the federal court here. An appeal will be taken.

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The juvenile court officers will return Bryan to the police this afternoon, and they will care for him until he is on the train. In the meantime an order has been given by Chief Barlow for a huge lunch basket to be in readiness for the

lad and others are seeing to it that he will be well provided en route. Kenneth C. Kerr, district passenger agent of the Salt Lake Route, over whom Bryan came from California to Salt Lake, will see that each conductor on the run from this city to Tennessee will be the host of the little fellow, and that he will want for nothing.

to remember his visit and detention in Salt Lake. This afternoon Mr. Redman headed a subscription list with a donation of \$5 and immediately started out to see all his friends with the object in view of getting them to subscribe. J. P. Gardner in the meantime took the lad under his wing and rigged him out from top to toe in a new suit of clothes and trimmings.

Bryan is to be given a square meal ere he boards the 6:15 train for the east and mother. When he landed in Salt Lake he had but \$1 in his pocket. Tonight he leaves with enough to carry him through and some for mother when he arrives in Martin, Tenn.